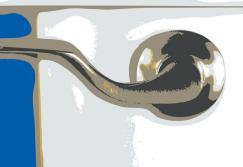


City of Jacksonville

Wastewater Management

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What Not to Flush

Drains that connect your home to the City sewer lines are only big enough to carry water, toilet paper and human waste.

City sewers & pumps are sized and designed to dispose of very specific things. Using your toilet for disposal of many modern products will often result in blockages.

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Did You Know?

- Just because is says "flushable" doesn't mean it's true. Many items can cause clogs, sewer backups and overflows that may damage property & the environment
- The City maintains & clears City lines up to the curb, Homeowners are responsible for blockages / clogs at their own residence to the curb
- Human waste & toilet paper are the only things to flush!

What Should be Flushed!

Just Toilet Paper & Human Waste





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What to Flush
What Not to Flush

Flush Only Toilet Paper & Human Waste

Do Not Flush:











- Diapers, adult protective underwear, (cloth, disposable, "flushable")
- Sanitary napkins, tampons, tampon applicators, condoms, or any nonorganic material
- Facial tissues, napkins, paper towels, baby wipes, disinfectant wipes, moist wipes, Toilet bowl scrub pads
- Clothing, wash cloths, towels, rags (any cloth item)
- Dental floss, toothpaste, vitamins, medicines or syringes
- Egg shells, nutshells, & coffee grounds
- Fats, oils, and greases
- Food items containing seeds & peelings
- Plastic of any kind
- Cans, bottles, bricks, glass, wood

Below: Images of clogged City Pump due to flushing of improper items





